

2005 Record Layout - Unit ID Code File (2005retid.txt)

The unit ID code file is an ASCII text file and contains 100 characters as outlined below.

Item Field	Positions	Length
Unit ID (14 character ID number)		
State code (states & DC in alpha sequence)	1-2	2
Type of government code: 0 = State 1 = County 2 = City 3 = Municipalities and Townships 4 = Special Districts 5 = Schools	3	1
County Code	4-6	3
Unit Identification Number	7-9	3
Supp Code	10-12	3
Sub Code	13-14	2
FILLER	15-15	1
Unit ID Name	16-100	85
Published Name	101-188	88

The filename convention is in the form of retidYY.txt where:

ret = the designation for the Retirement Survey

id = the designation for the government unit identification code

YY = the last two digits of the survey year

For example, the filename for 2005 would be retid05.txt.